

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/733,469  
Applicant : Victor J. Yodaiken  
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Examiner : Suman Debnath  
  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed August 8, 2008, the time for reply having been extended until February 9, 2009 by the attached petition, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following Amendments and Remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page **2** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page **10** of this paper.